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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time, from June 29, 2000 up to and including September 29, 2000, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) in which to file a Continuation Application in lieu of responding to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2000.

A check in the amount of \$435.00 for the extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under-payments or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448.

Respectfully submitted,

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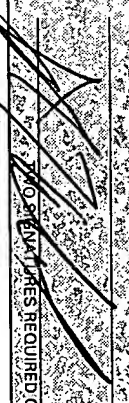
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